Kennedy Receives Threat on Life

A telephone threat on the life of Sen. Edward M. Kennedy was received by the Senator's office Friday, prompting Fairfax County police to post a round-the-clock surveillance of his McLean home.

A spokesman for the Senator said such threats have been made "from time to time" and that it was standard policy to "notify the proper authorities."

A County police official said it was not unusual to order such a patrol as a precautionary measure. Police have discussed the report with the FBI, he added.